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FARMERS HEAR  
VALUABLE ADDRESSESCHAUTAUQUA AT LOUISA PRE-  
SENTED A FINE LIST OF  
SPEAKERS.

The first session of the Farmers' Chautauqua was held in D. J. Burchett's picture show house Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Cralier, State Veterinarian, spoke on hogs and their diseases and prevention, and we only regret that every farmer who raises hogs did not hear this talk.

Mr. Chapin, U. S. Poultry man, gave an illustrated lecture on poultry, showing the different constructions of poultry houses, brooding, rearing and marketing. Also, other interesting pictures of what other people are doing in other States.

Mr. Chapin looked over the poultry prospects here and was very much pleased, saying that he was sure that no other product would pay the farmers of Lawrence county so well, if he would improve his stock, getting all his chickens one breed.

Mrs. Wolcott told us how chickens should be and could be made a by-product, that the by-products of the farm were the ones that made the money for us.

Mrs. Helen H. Wolcott, State Agent of Home Demonstration work, came third on Tuesday's program and as she always does, sent her audience away charmed. Mrs. Wolcott had one advantage over the men lecturers. She had an audience of most interested women which gave her added enthusiasm. If the farmers, and men had come out the first day, as did the women, we would have had a crowd proud to speak about.

Mrs. Wolcott didn't bring the same thoughts and ideas that we have heard so much, but she brought new ones, and big ones. Being herself a farmer and having a dairy that pays her more than any other dairy in the State, she was able to bring a special message about the dairy and profits of the farm.

Mrs. Wolcott was pleased with the work here, which is under her supervision, and hopes that it may be continued.

Wednesday's sessions lacked in quantity, but paid in full in quality. In the first place the list of speakers shows this. Mr. Collins, District Agent of Eastern Kentucky, who has Lawrence county at heart, was here. Mr. Elliott, horticulturist, the man who came to tell us how to grow better apples and better fruit in general, and Mr. Harrison spoke on co-operation.

Miss Reynolds, from the State College, spoke on the Live Stock of Kentucky, the boy and the girl, and those who missed this talk missed more than an ordinary talk. Miss Reynolds said that no other children came up with the Kentucky boy and girl and that all they needed was a chance. We all know that Kentucky is behind in her education, but we hardly knew it was so much until Miss Reynolds told us that where Illinois spent \$1000 on her boys and girls we Kentuckians spend \$100.

Mr. Collins is very much pleased with the interest being taken in live stock and better stock and he said that Lawrence county was making a record for herself at present, and that Mr. Young, County Agent, had well earned his salary by proving the interest and placing the animals in the county that Mr. Woods has gone to buy.

Mr. Chapin, poultry man, remained to speak again, on club work in Lawrence county, but owing to the lateness of the hour and the fact that the few there had been so patient, the Chautauqua of two days came to a close after a talk from Col. Northrup, in which Col. thanked the few for coming and especially the one or two farmers that had left their farms at this busy time to come.

On Tuesday the Girls Canning Club from Gallup came, chartered by Mrs. T. S. McClure and Mr. John H. McClure. Gallup's people always respond and you can always count on them. These little girls deserved the treat of seeing Mrs. Wolcott and of hearing her, and it made them know that they are really a part of the great work and 10 of the 1400 little girls, who are reaping the benefits of Mrs. Wolcott's great organization.

Although the crowd was small we hope that some one, even a single person, received some good from the people who came to us, if so their trouble of coming was fully repaid.

We thank those who did come and only wish more of you could have come. Mr. Burchett deserves an extra thank for his kindness of lending us not only for his machine for our illustrative lecture, such co-operation from Mr. Burchett, our newspapers and our people at large, make us grow into a better Lawrence county.

## MOVED TO ASHLAND.

A real estate deal was closed yesterday whereby Mr. J. F. Ward, of Blaine, Lawrence co., Ky., became the owner of the store room and dwelling situated on Greenup-av. near 32nd street, which he purchased of Mrs. Julia P. Allen. Mr. Ward is one of the well known farmers and merchants of the Big Blaine country, and will be most cordially welcomed to Ashland. For the present he will be engaged in the retail grocery business—Independent.

## PAPA POTTS.

Local friends of Mr. W. C. Potts, who conducted the Big Sandy News subscription contest, have received cards announcing the arrival at his home in Paris, Ky., of a baby girl. The little one has been named Carolyn Duval Potts.

GOV. PARDONS MCGLONE  
OF CARTER COUNTY.

J. E. McGlone, former Circuit Clerk of Carter co., indicted in the Franklin Circuit Court on a charge of collecting money from the State on fraudulent claims for witness fees in Commonwealth cases, pleaded guilty this morning and was pardoned by Gov. Stanley on recommendation of State officers.

McGlone admitted his guilt to Treasurer Sherman Goodpastor, then Inspector and Examiner, who inspected his office, and paid back the \$8,998 he secured on false claims for two terms of court. All the indictments but one were dismissed, when he pleaded guilty, and he was sentenced to serve from one year to a year and a day. He went under custody to Gov. Stanley's office and received his pardon.

McGlone is residing in Missouri. He had been Circuit Clerk for several years and had a good record. He is a Republican.—Courier Journal.

REWARD OF \$200 FOR  
KNOTT COUNTY MAN.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 15.—An offer of \$200 reward for the arrest of Robert Combs, sought in Knott co., where he is charged with abduction of the daughter of Rev. Robert Combs, was made today by Governor Stanley. The girl is under 15 years of age. Combs is supposed to be in West Virginia.

## FABULOUS INCREASE.

Paris, Ky., Sept. 20.—About six years ago Samuel Biven, a farmer living near Plum, this county, bought forty acres of land near Clay City from a friend, who was moving to Oklahoma to reside, paying for the same \$2 per acre. Recently the oil boom has struck that territory and Eastern capitalists have secured leases on all the land surrounding and adjoining that of Mr. Biven. Last week a company drilled a well on the tract owned by Mr. Biven under the impression that it belonged to them. A gusher was struck, and Saturday Mr. Biven was offered \$20,000 for his land. He refused the offer and says he will not part with it for less than \$40,000.

## MRS. "B" VAUGHAN DEAD.

Mrs. W. H. Vaughan died at Paintsville, Monday. She had been in ill health for quite a while, but her death was unexpected. Heart disease is said to have been the trouble that brought the end so suddenly. The burial took place Wednesday. Rev. Carder was called from Newport to conduct the services. Mrs. Vaughan was a faithful member of the M. E. Church and Rev. Carder had been her pastor for four years.

CONFESSES TO PART IN  
WEST VA. TRAIN ROBBERY

Texas Gives Story of Daring Hold-Up and Fight of Three Men Last Fall.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Sept. 13.—Charles Jefferson Harrison, of San Antonio, Tex., made a full confession of the train robbery with which he was charged in the United States Court here today before Judge Dayton. Sentence of 12 years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., was immediately imposed.

Harrison presented a pathetic figure when he advanced to the bar to confess, after pleading not guilty yesterday to the nine indictments. Weak and emaciated by tuberculosis, from which he is suffering, his voice was scarcely audible.

The crime was the robbery of a Baltimore & Ohio train near Central Station, W. Va., on October 5, 1915. With Harrison was implicated Eugene Dies, who will be placed on trial next, and H. Grady Webb, who never has been arrested. The robbers took from the express car of the train more than \$100,000 in unassigned bank notes, much of which has been recovered.

Harrison for the first time since his arrest talked freely with United States Marshal Smith after being sentenced. He told of climbing into the cab and at the point of a revolver compelling Engineer Grant Helms, after the engine and mail cars had been detached from the rest of the train, to run the locomotive two miles down the track, where the mail cars were refilled. Harrison and his companions then fled to the woods, where they divided their loot and remained a few days. They then separated.

Harrison said he returned to his home in San Antonio, Tex., where he reopened his machine shop after burying \$28,000 under the floor. This was recovered when the Federal authorities searched the shop after his arrest. He said he had never killed a man, but was present when his gang murdered a postal clerk in Alabama several years ago. For his part in the crime he was sentenced to life imprisonment, but President McKinley commuted it to ten years and President Roosevelt pardoned him after he had served seven years.

## MOSE FELTNER KILLED.

"Bad Mose" Feltner, who played a big role in the Hargis-Cockrell feud in Breathitt co., was shot to death by United States Deputy Marshal G. A. Sizemore at Hazard, when he refused to go to jail on a charge of moonshining.

## WM. HOLT SELLS OUT.

Wm. Holt has sold his farm at Busseyville to Mrs. Bettie Piggs and will move to Kenova, where their daughter, Mrs. Dr. Marcum is now located.

HEMORRHAGE FATAL  
TO JAMES BARTRAMGOOD CITIZEN OF FORT GAY  
DIES AT AGE 75, AFTER  
BRIEF ILLNESS.

James Bartram, age 75, died at his home in Fort Gay Wednesday evening, after an illness of only three days. He was in a fair state of health up to Sunday afternoon for a man of his advanced age. At that time he sustained a hemorrhage of the brain and gradually grew worse until the end. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon and the body was laid to rest in the Frazier burial grounds.

Mr. Bartram was a good man and had the respect and good will of his neighbors. He had been a consistent member of the M. E. Church for many years. Also, he was a worthy member of the Masonic fraternity and was buried with the honors of that order.

A wife and several sons and daughters survive him. The daughters are Mrs. M. E. Bryan, of Fort Gay; Mrs. J. W. Wriston, of Maine; Mrs. L. A. Cathers, of Oregon; Mrs. Stanley, of Chattanooga, W. Va.; the sons are Wm. Bartram, of Cleveland; Ed Bartram, of Omega, Ohio; Henry Bartram, of Missouri; and Sam Bartram, of Louisiana. Most of them live too far away to reach here in time for the funeral.

## CHAIN OF LOCKS SOON COMPLETE

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 16.—November will see the completion of Lock No. 14, the last of fourteen to be built in the Kentucky river by the United States Government to permit waterway tapping of the rich Eastern Kentucky coal fields. The lock is located at Heidelberg, Lee co. The original specifications called for its completion on December 31, 1913, nearly three years ago, but a series of misfortunes, including the failure of a large New York concern on its contract, and washouts due to high water, the last of which occurred August 7 of this year, interfered.

Plans are under way for the opening of mines in the vicinity of Beattyville and other Lee co. towns, near which the boat traffic will have its head. The construction work on the lock is under the general charge of Major W. P. Stokes, major of the corps of engineers of the United States Army in the Second Cincinnati district. H. G. McCormick, United States assistant engineer, is in direct charge of the work. Mr. McCormick, with his fourteen years of practical experience, is meeting the engineering problems that arise daily with the same fortitude that he faced the engineering problems of the Norfolk & Western railroad, with which he was connected for seven years prior to his government position in 1909. Mr. McCormick was in charge of the construction work of Lock No. 13, which was finished last year. His assistants are A. M. Kennedy, W. T. Hayes and John E. Kennedy, inspectors.

## KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

Generally speaking the corn crop bids fair to be a good one. In fact, the best in years in some localities, although much damage is reported by recent storms. The condition of corn as a state average is given at 92 per cent. The condition of cow peas is given at 86 per cent, while soy beans show at 88 per cent. It is worth while to note what an increased acreage in these two crops is shown in some counties while in other counties no report is made at all as these crops are raised there. Pasture conditions are good, showing much improvement since the late rains. At present Blue Grass shows an average of 87 per cent, clover at 87 per cent, orchard grass at 91 per cent and alfalfa 87 per cent. The third cutting of alfalfa is estimated to yield two tons per acre and the prospects for the fourth good. Much complaint is made of garden conditions generally throughout the State. The average condition is given at 80 per cent. The condition of Irish potatoes is given at 79 per cent. The outlook for fruit is very unsatisfactory. Apples are falling off badly and their average condition is given at 59 per cent. Peaches are very scarce and faulty and show a condition of 79 per cent. Pears are given at 58 per cent and grapes at 84 per cent.

There seems to be a scarcity of live stock reported in many places, but the condition of all live stock is splendid.

## MASONS ELECT OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected by the Louisa Chapter No. 95: George R. Lewis, H. P. B. J. Chaffin, King, A. J. Garred, Scribe, G. R. Burgess, C. of H. Dock Jordan, P. S. C. C. Hill, Secretary, Augustus Snyder, Treasurer, N. D. Waldeck, Sentinel.

## CORN CUTTERS.

79 men left this county a few days ago for Ohio, to cut corn. Every year quite a number go from here for that purpose. They are paid good wages.

## THE DOCTORS MEET.

The Lawrence County Medical Association met at Louisa Monday and transacted business and engaged in discussions of interest to their body.

## BOOTLEGGING CHARGE.

Dick Vance was arrested yesterday by Marshal O. G. Smith on a charge of bootlegging and he is in the city jail awaiting trial. He is said to have brought in a supply from Catlettsburg.

BECOMES EVANGELIST  
WITH HONEYWELL PARTY.

Rev. O. G. Ragan, for the last three years superintendent of the Lexington district of the Methodist Episcopal church, which corresponds to the position of presiding elder, with a larger scope of duties, and who recently retired to accept the appointment of evangelist at large, made by Bishop Anderson at the Berra conference, left Friday afternoon for Muskegon, Mich., where he goes to join the Honeywell evangelical party for its first campaign of the season.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Ragan, who goes to Chicago to enter the Moody Institute to pursue a course of study qualifying herself for evangelical work after which she will join her husband.

## REV. W. H. FOGLESONG.

Clarksburg, W. Va., Sept. 19, 1916. Mr. M. F. Conley, Editor Big Sandy News, Louisa, Ky.

My dear sir:—As Secretary of the Ministers Union, of Clarksburg, W. Va., I have been instructed to submit the following to you for publication in the NEWS, if you care so to do:

"The members of the Ministers Union of Clarksburg, W. Va., desire by this minute to testify severally and collectively to their high appreciation of and strong affection for Reverend W. H. Fogle song, who for three years past has labored earnestly and faithfully in this Association. In the Spring of 1915 he was elected President, and his active and untiring zeal in carrying out the best interests of the Union was so apparent that he was again elected President in the Spring of this year, and now leaves us to assume work in Louisiana.

Always abreast of the times, public spirited, a man of clear, discriminating and world-wide vision, his loss will be keenly felt by the Union. But, our prayers for his success in the new field of labor shall follow him; and with gratitude for our past fellowship in the cause of Christ, we commend him to God, and to the earnest and hearty co-operation of the Methodist church of Louisa, with the loving desire that the peace of God, which passes all understanding, may ever unite our hearts in the same bonds of Christian fellowship which have ever existed during his stay among us.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT JUSTIN ALLSUP.

Thanking you for any courtesy shown to either Rev. Fogle song or the Union in this matter, I am,

Sincerely yours,

HERBERT JUSTIN ALLSUP,

Pastor Presbyterian Church.

DRILLING OPERATIONS  
ARE UNUSUALLY ACTIVE

Kentucky Petroleum Fields Little Affected By General Decrease In Prices.

Barbourville, Ky., Sept. 17.—Drilling operations are being carried on in Kentucky's petroleum fields with more enthusiasm at the present time than ever before. The decline in prices has had no effect in lessening the number of drilling rigs, of which there are 175.

Estill county is the most active east of the Mississippi. Within the week this field turned out twenty-four new wells, having an aggregate daily yield of 995 barrels.

Estill county is a comparatively new district. The unprecedented showing made in this county has caused a widespread search for new production in many other counties.

After two failures in Rockcastle co. that district came into the limelight last week with a producer showing up for twenty barrels. This territory is seventy miles southwest of Estill co.

## AT THE CHURCHES.

In the absence of the pastor of the Baptist church Rev. C. C. Hill preached to a fair-sized audience. No announcement had been made and it was not generally known that he would preach.

By request Rev. N. H. Young preached at the M. E. church Sunday morning and evening, the new pastor not having arrived.

No services were held at the M. E. Church South.

## DIED OF TYPHOID.

James Jones, whose illness was mentioned in the NEWS last week, died at his home on Lick creek last Friday morning, of typhoid. He contracted the disease at Williamson, W. Va., and lived only a few days after his arrival at home. He was about 55 years old and leaves a wife and children. He was a quiet, good citizen.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Allen Ross, 23, to Zada Turman, 21, of Adeline.

Proctor Cassell, 22, to Blanche Hinkle 20, of Richardson, married in Clerk's office.

Will Austin, 25, to Tiny Fitch, 25.

## GREEN VALLEY.

There will be a free entertainment and a pie social at Green Valley Saturday, Sept. 23, 7:00 p. m. Proceeds to go toward purchasing a library for the school.

EDGAR RIFFE, Teacher.

## MEMORIAL MEETING.

There will be a memorial meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Proctor's the last Saturday in September and the following Sunday.

OUTPUT OF COAL  
GREATEST IN HISTORYESTIMATES INDICATE INCREASE  
OF ABOUT THIRTY-FIVE  
PER CENT.

Washington.—The output of bituminous coal in the United States during the first six months of 1916 was the greatest ever recorded in any half-year period. Estimates made to-day by C. E. Leshner, of the Geological Survey, based on returns from over 100 railroads originating coal and coke shipments, indicate that the production during this period was 261,000,000 tons, an increase of 35 per cent. over the first six months of 1915, and of 6 per cent. over the last six months of the same year, and great or by several million tons than the record established in the last half of 1915. Compared with the first half of 1915 the exports from the Atlantic seaboard during the last six months have increased about 10 per cent. and the coal used in coking has increased nearly one-half. Increased consumption by railroads and by the iron and steel and nearly all other industries has been a large factor in establishing this record. From April, 1915, to January of the present year the production of bituminous coal increased at a rapid rate, with but temporary slackening in November and December due to car shortage. The output in January, 1916, was more than 60 per cent. greater than in April, 1915, and the production in February and March, 1916, was nearly as great. Many large users of coal laid in stocks of fuel in anticipation of a possible shutdown at the mines in April because of labor troubles, and, though there was no general strike, the production in April declined greatly as a result of decreased buying on the part of those having stored coal to use. May and June, however, showed successive increases, and there is every indication that the production during the coming six months will equal if not exceed the six months just past, and that the output in the calendar year 1916 will exceed 500,000,000 tons, establishing a new record for bituminous coal.

Every coal-producing State from Washington to the Atlantic Coast has shared in this general increase.

The output of beshive coke has increased from about 11,250,000 tons in the first half of 1915 and 15,250,000 tons in the second half of 1915 to more than 18,000,000 tons during the last six months. The manufacture of coke in by-product ovens has also increased as new ovens have been completed and put in commission.

The production of Pennsylvania anthracite increased about 3 per cent. over the corresponding period in 1915.

CAR LOAD OF FORDS  
SOLD OUT RAPIDLY.

A car load of Ford automobiles was received Monday by the local agent, Augustus Snyder, and all except one were sold before they could be set up. Another car load has been ordered. The new price of \$360 (and freight) has made the Ford more popular than ever and it is difficult to get the machines fast enough. The factory is turning out a machine every minute, but the demand is far in excess of that.

## NEW PREACHERS NEXT SUNDAY.

A telegram received Wednesday from Rev. W. H. Fogle song, the new pastor of the M. E. Church South, says he will reach Louisa some time before Sunday. The new pastor of the M. E. Church is expected here also for Sunday.

## TEACHERS EXAMINATION.

Examination of applicants for teachers' certificates was held Friday and Saturday. Five made first class, five second, and ten failed. Chas. Miller, David Morris, Gypsy Miller and Levi Streitenberger received first class. We did not learn the name of the other first class winner.

## JATTIE AND TUSCOLA.

Rev. Harrow preached a very interesting sermon at Baker chapel Sunday night.

Boston Hammond's smiling face was seen at Polly's chapel Sunday as usual. Ward Wemack made his usual trip to V. B. Shortridges Sunday.

Emma Hutchison and Dosha Hammond were calling on Mrs. Sophia Webb Tuesday afternoon.

Chester Webb passed down our creek Tuesday evening enroute to Louisa. He has set the people to wondering by so sudden a trip, returning the same evening. The girls are all broken hearted.

Hobart Brainard was calling on Miss Laura Vanhorn Sunday.

Ruby Brainard was calling on Virgie Jordan Friday.

Miss Opal Irene Webb, of Overda, is spending a few days with Mrs. Morton Hammond at Jattie.

Mrs. James Jordan was calling on Mrs. M. F. Jordan Sunday.

Wm. Hammond had the misfortune of losing a fine calf last week.

This place seems very lonesome since Sylvester Woods has moved away, especially for the girls.

Fred Thompson has returned from Cincinnati where he has been spending a few days.

There will be church at Brammer Gap Saturday night and Sunday at the Holiness church by Rev. Leonard Bowling.

We would be glad to read a letter in the NEWS from Mattie again, as we always like to hear from there.

TWO BLUE E'D KODDO'S.

BY-PRODUCT COKE  
PLANT AT PORTSMOUTH.

Portsmouth, Ohio, September 19.—A \$2,000,000 by-product coke plant, to employ 500 men, is to be built here by the Whitaker-Glessner Company, according to this firm's announcement today. Its daily capacity of 15,000 tons will be jointly used at the blast furnace now under construction by this company here and by the Columbus Iron and Steel Company and the Cement Solvay Company, Syracuse, N. Y.

Two additional open-hearth furnaces are being built, making a total of nine at the local plant. With completion of its extensions an outlay of nearly \$5,000,000 will have been made by the Whitaker-Glessner Company at its local mills, and employment will be given to 3,000 men in all.

RUSSIAN INJURED  
BY FALLING SLATE.

Mike Schotski, a Russian miner, was seriously, and it is thought, fatally injured Saturday afternoon, when nearly two tons of slate fell on him while he was at work in a mine at Van Lear. The injured man was taken to Ashland to the King's Daughters' hospital. But little hopes were held for his recovery.

## RIGID DOG LAW.

Louisa's dog law has been so strengthened by the council that the only way to legally control a dog is to load him around with a string. Unless you want to play blind man you'd better dispose of the dog. The law goes into effect Sept. 28th. It prohibits dogs running at large on the streets. The muzzle law recently passed seems not to have been effective, either in its provisions or its execution.

## WILL NOT RETIRE.

Charles M. Schwab says in the October American Magazine:

"I always pity the man who says, 'When I get so much money, I am going to retire and enjoy life.' The greatest thrill that can come to any man is the thrill of successful achievement. In the last year I have had opportunity to sell out Bethlehem Steel for almost fabulous sums. They did not even interest me. If I gave up my business I would be resigning my greatest interest in life."

## MRS. HORTON ACCEPTS.

Mrs. Mary B. Horton has finally consented to again take charge of the women's department of the Lawrence County Fair, Oct. 11, 12 and 13. She urges not only the ladies of the town, but those of the country, to help her to make this department a success.

ASHLAND WILL NOT  
SUITABLE FOR U. S. PLANT

Hearings On Location For Proposed Armor Factory Brought To Close.

Washington, Sept. 14.—Hearings before Secretary Daniels and the General Board of the navy on the question of a suitable location for the projected \$11,000,000 Government armor factory closed to-day with approximately 125 cities and rural districts asking for the plant. A selection probably will not be made for more than two months.

All possibility of purchasing a ready-built plant was disposed of during the hearings. Of the factories making armor or engaged in similar activities only two were mentioned as possible purchases. The General Board considers neither satisfactory. They are the properties of the Washington Steel & Ordnance Company and of an unnamed corporation which is constructing a factory at Ashland, Ky.

## THE SAVOY HOTEL.

Rev. E. V. Cole and wife are now interested in the management of the new Savoy hotel, with Dr. Wellman. The transient trade will be taken good care of at one dollar per day. When the N. C. rush of students comes in January the Savoy will take quite a number of them. The management extends an invitation to the public to try the service this hotel is offering.

## BLAINE.

S. D. Wellman, who has been sick with typhoid, is now able to walk about the house.

C. R. Holbrook spent Sunday with home folks.

Earl Berry, our obliging assistant postmaster, left Saturday for Charleston where he will attend school.

H. F. Williams was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. H. H. and J. J. Gambill spent Sunday with their father-in-law, Lee Gambill of Martha.

Charles Edwards was home Monday from Louisa to see his sister, who is sick with typhoid.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dean, of Irad, were here Sunday visiting Mrs. Dean's sister, Mrs. Wayne Osborn.

A. J. Holton is now our accommodating mail carrier from Blaine to Georges creek, having bought the route from S. D. Wellman.

George Swetnam and wife from Wilbur were visiting Dr. H. H. Gambill Sunday.

Willie Swetnam is attending school here and there seems to be some attraction for Billie too.

Sunday to Chas. Morris and Irl SNOOKEY OOKUMS.

A. L. Burton and Mrs. Mollie Meek returned a few days ago from Cincinnati where they had been purchasing millinery for the Burton store.